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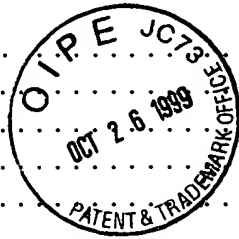
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RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 23, 1999 OFFICE ACTION

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In the Title

Please delete the title, and insert the following:

--Methods of Bonding Solder Balls to Bond Pads on a Substrate--

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 42-44 without prejudice.